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IN RE APPLICATION OF
MERVIN G. WOOD ET AL.

Group Art Unit: **1626**

Examiner: **Laura Stockton**

APPLICATION NO: **09/824,147**

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SECOND AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted for entry and consideration. The Action set a 3 month shortened statutory period for reply, making this paper due September 15, 2004. This reply is timely filed and no petition for an extension of time to respond is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.